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14 Jan 1859

Letter from Bradford to Stanton relative to duties

Letter June 25
by Gen Bradford
No 1.

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U S B Mint New Orleans
January 14th 1839.

Sir

I hereby direct that you take charge of the Weighing Books, the Book in which is kept the account of ~~the~~ Bullion delivered by the Treasurer to the Melter and Refiner, the Book in which is kept the account of Standard ingots delivered by the Treasurer to the Coiner, the Books containing the accounts of Bullion received by the Treasurer from the Melter and Refiner and Coiner, in the State of clippings or otherwise; also ~~that you take charge of~~ the blanks, to wit; the Receipts to Depositors for the gross weight of Bullion, and the Assayers Reports; the latter (the Assayers Reports) you will hand over to the other Clerk when warrants are issued ~~and signed and Accepted~~ and you will furnish a Copy of the Assayers Reports to the Melter and Refiner on delivering him Bullion

To William E. Stafford Esq
Weigh Master &c &c
B. Mint N. O.

} Wm Yr
David Bradford
Sup.t

Delivered the orig.l of which the above is a Copy on its date to Mr. Stafford. David Bradford

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In addition to the written the Weigh Master will on delivering Bullion to the M & R exhibit the Assayers Report so that the entry in his Book and that of the M & R may be made to Correspond.